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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 7 (labeled paragraph 0022 in the specification as filed) with the following:

[0032] In FIG. 2, the block enclosed by dashed lines is generally ~~construction~~ constructed as a sensor 50, which is mounted in a suitable position inside the vehicle such as, for example, on the ceiling. Alternatively, the sensor may be mounted near the map lamp inside the vehicle. Further, both the microcomputer 40 and the driver circuit 42 may also be incorporated into the sensor.